is no contest, advise executors, administrators, and guardians, in regard to their duties in the administration of estates under their charge, and in regard to the manner of performing such duties; and he may draw all orders, judgments, and decrees necessary and proper to carry into effect any decision or order of the court or judge in probate proceedings whenever directed by the judge. Said register of probate is also authorized and empowered to make and issue, under the direction of the court, orders for and notices of the publication and hearing of applications made or to be made to the county court, citations and orders to show cause returnable before the court, and subpoenas; such orders, notices, citations, and subpoenas shall be signed by him as follows:

By the court,

Register of Probate.

And when so signed shall be considered the act of the court, and shall have the same force and effect as if signed by the county judge.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 59.

AN ACT to amend 10.66 of the statutes, relating to the payment of expenses incurred by the board of election commissioners for counties containing a city of the first class.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 10.66 of the statutes is amended to read: 10.66 The said board of election commissioners may procure a seal with which to authenticate official papers and documents and said board is authorized to employ such additional clerical assistants as shall be necessary from time to time, who shall receive such compensation as the county board shall determine. The county board shall arrange for office room for the said board of election commissioners; and all expenses

incurred under sections 10.63 to 10.70, \* \* \* shall be paid by \* \* \* the county \* \* \*. The act of a majority of said county board of election commissioners shall be considered the act of said board.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 60.

AN ACT to amend 63.15 (7) of the statutes, relating to the manner of choosing officers, assistants and employes in cities of the second class.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsection (7) of section 63.15 of the statutes is amended to read:

(63.15) (7) In any city of the second class operating under this chapter, the mayor, with the confirmation of the majority of the council, shall appoint a city clerk, a corporation counsel, a comptroller, a treasurer, a superintendent of streets, an assessor and such other officers, assistants and employes as are necessary to the efficient conduct of the affairs of the city and shall fix the terms of service and salaries of all such officers, assistants and employes. Provided, if the council shall so determine by resolution it may by a majority vote appoint all such officers, assistants and employes and fix their terms of service and salaries.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved April 21, 1941.